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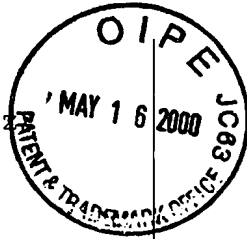
IN RE APPLICATION OF:

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Request to Use Computer-Readable Form of
Sequence Listing from Parent Application

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

The paper copy of the Sequence Listing in the above-identified application is identical to the computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing filed in Application Ser. No. 08/424,663 filed April 17, 1995. In accordance with 37 CFR §1.821(e), please use the computer readable form from the parent as the computer readable form for the instant application. It is understood that the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office will make the necessary changes in application number and filing date for the computer readable form that will be used for the instant application. A paper copy of the Sequence Listing was included in a hand-delivered submission on May 23, 1997 and again submitted on December 18, 1997 for incorporation into the specification.

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